



Everyone learns how to identify many native and non-native plants.

Native species we plant :

Beach Burr
Beach Sagewort
Beach Primrose
Coast Buckwheat
Yarrow
Coyote Bush
Lizard Tail
Yellow Bush Lupine
Evening Primrose
Figwort
Gum Plant
Seaside Daisy

Non-native plants we remove:

Wild Radish
Field Mustard
Poison Hemlock
Bristly Ox-tongue
Sea Fig
Cape Ivy
New Zealand Spinach

Directions: From Hwy 280 head west on Hwy 92. Turn left on Hwy 1. Turn right on Kelly Avenue and head west to Francis Beach. At the entrance station, tell staff that you are here for the restoration project. Turn into main parking lot. Sign up at the fenced rangers parking lot at the south end of the main lot.



Restoration projects funded by grants from:

- ◆ San Mateo Countywide Storm Water Pollution Prevention Program (STOPPP)
- ◆ California Coastal Conservancy
- ◆ California State Park Foundation
- ◆ San Mateo Coast Natural History Association

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Habitat Restoration Volunteers Needed!

Join us
year-round!



Restore native vegetation at

Half Moon Bay State Beach





Volunteers restore coastal dunes by planting native plants

A CHANGING LANDSCAPE

The marine terraces at Half Moon Bay were originally covered in native coastal scrub. Coastal development and agricultural practices changed the landscape. When the State of California acquired the land in 1955, cultivation ceased and the fields were soon dominated by non-native grasses and weeds.

Today, California State Park volunteers and restoration specialists are working to restore, protect, and preserve the coastal scrub community.

When the restoration project started in 1996, 95 percent of the park's plants were non-native species. Today many restoration areas contain an impressive 70-90 percent native species. As a result, the number of native insects, birds and animals has increased dramatically.

RESTORE COASTAL WILDLANDS

Join with others in the community and help return native vegetation to dune, coastal scrub, and riparian habitats at Francis, Venice, Dunes, and Roosevelt Beaches. Working together we can:

- ◆ Restore the native ecosystem
- ◆ Increase native wildlife habitat
- ◆ Protect biological diversity
- ◆ Increase community awareness through participation in stewardship activities

GET INVOLVED TODAY!

To set up a group project or to drop-in on a pre-scheduled event, please call or e-mail us at 650.726.8801 or hmbrestore@gmail.com.

(See reverse for detailed directions)



You can have a positive impact on coastal ecology



Volunteers have lots of fun working as a team hoeing, pulling and planting.

YOU CAN HELP WITH THESE PROJECTS:

- ◆ Removing non-native plants hand (ice plant, New Zealand spinach, mustard, radish)
- ◆ Removing non-native plants with hand tools or hoes (radish, mustard, hemlock, thistle)
- ◆ Planting native plants
- ◆ Collecting native seed
- ◆ Conducting riparian and beach clean-ups
- ◆ Maintaining trails around restoration sites



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